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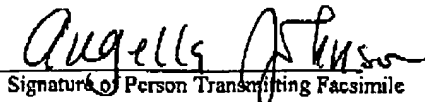
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 13, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the file of the above-entitled application. In accordance with USPTO practice, each section of the Amendment begins on a separate page.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Amendment under the provisions of 37 C.F.R §1.116(a) in that the amendments and remarks below place the application and claims in condition for allowance, or at least, present the application in better form for appeal. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in view of the following are respectfully requested.

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